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Methods and Apparatus for Line System Design

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Specification, Claims and Abstract - 23 pages 9 Sheets of informal drawing(s)

| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | |
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| Total Claims | 29-20 = | 9 | x \$18 = | \$162 |
| Independent Claims | 3-3 = | 0 | x \$86 = | \$0 |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable | | | \$290 = | \$0 |
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